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Applicant(s) : Gary K. Michelson
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The above-identified application has been assigned Patent No. 6,908,483 and an issue date of June 21, 2005.

It is hereby directed that this application be withdrawn from issue at the request of the applicant.

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The following erratum should be published in the Official Gazette if the above-identified application is published in the OG of June 21, 2005:

"All reference to Patent No. 6,908,483 to Gary K. Michelson of Japan for BONE HEMI-LUMBAR INTERBODY SPINAL FUSION IMPLANT HAVING AN ASYMMETRICAL LEADING END AND METHOD OF INSTALLATION THEREOF appearing in the Official Gazette of June 21, 2005 should be deleted since no patent was granted."

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